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: EXCELLENT CORROSION RESISTANCE : AND EXCELLENT ADHESION, AND : MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

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SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated June 20, 2006, the Applicants amend the Application as follows: